

**U.S. Senate**  
**Desk Description and Condition Report**

Desk No : **66.00052.000**

Paper Label No.(on shelf bottom): 53?

Painted No. (on bottom): N/A

Other identifying labels or marks (specify location): Stretcher: 54, 55, LII; Top: 54, 47 (blue crayon); Drawer back: 54; Shelf bottom: 82? (pencil); Inside case back: D.W. Jadywas (?) (pencil); Bottom of inkwell: 52 (pencil)

## Description of Desk

Dimensions (in inches)

	Overall	Orig. Desk*	Case	Shelf
Height	35 3/16	31 13/16		
Width (front)	27 5/8	26 3/4	25 3/4	
Width (rear)	27 1/8	26 1/8	25 1/8	
Depth	20 5/16	20 1/4	19 3/16	9 1/2

\* Note: Dimensions do not include "booster" blocks added to feet or writing top.

## Woods

Primary:

Mahogany ☒

Mahogany veneer ☒

Rosewood veneer ☐

Other Wood (specify): \_\_\_\_\_

Character of case mahogany:

Plain ☐

Ribbon ☒

Mottled ☐

Crotch ☐

Other ☐

Secondary:

Element	Pine	Ash	Poplar	Mahog	Other
Drawer Sides			✓		
Drawer Bottom			✓		
Drawer Back			✓		
Case Interior	✓		✓		
Drawer Front	✓				

## Construction Details

Leg:

## Wood Type

mahog. veneer

solid mahogany

other: \_\_\_\_\_

rosewood  
crossbandother  
crossbandno  
crossband

Foot construction:

1-part ☒2-part ☐5-part ☐

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Cockbead width on bottom of drawer front:

Narrow ☐Full width ☒

Double bead on edge of leg:

Opening in original top for inkwell:

Yes ☐No ☒

Thickness: 1"

Roundels:

Single piece ("yo-yo" form) ☐

Shape of cross-stretcher edges:

Rounded ☐Rectangular ☒Applied boss ☒

Inset distance of single bead on desk back panel:

Side: 1 1/4"

Top: 1"

Bottom: 1"

Spindle type:

Thick

Thin

Other

Number

10

Joinery of lower drawer blade to case sides:

single dovetail ☐2 dovetails ☐3 dovetails ☐lap joint ☐

other: blind

No. of Glue Blocks Case Stretch'r Shelf

Original/Old

New/Recent

Missing

2

Case built-out for drawer:

Yes ☒No ☐

## Condition of Desk

### Structure

Previous breaks in structural elements:  
(show on schematic) Yes ☐

No ☒

Current split or broken elements:  
(show on schematic) Yes ☐

No ☒

Other loose or damaged joinery:  
(describe in narrative) Yes ☐

No ☒

Damage to drawer front:  
Extreme ☒  
Moderate ☐  
Minor ☐

Drawer lock: relocated on face Yes ☒

Drawer lock: resized on inside Yes ☒

Cockbead on drawer front:  
(show on schematic) Damaged ☒

Missing ☐

Loose ☐

Replacements ☒

Replaced drawer-side runners: Yes ☒

No ☐

Replaced case-side runners: Yes ☐

No ☒

Drawer bottom pieced-out at back edge: Yes ☒

No ☐

Wear on Feet	Extreme	Moderate	Minor
Front	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Rear			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Number of loose spindles: No: 0

Number of replaced spindles:  
(show on schematic) No: 0

Replaced veneers and cross-banding:  
(show on schematic) Yes ☐  
No ☒

Missing veneers and cross-banding:  
(show on schematic) Yes ☐  
No ☒

Delaminated/loose veneers &  
cross-banding:  
(show on schematic) Yes ☐  
No ☒

Shelf supports: Original/old ☐  
New/recent ☒

Missing ☐

Shelf molding applied: Yes ☐  
No ☒

Spindle support board in case: Yes ☐  
No ☒

## Finish

Age	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor
New			✓	
Old				
Unk.				

Note: Describe finish problems in narrative.

## Hardware/Attachments

Item	Mismatch	Missing	Damaged
Knob (L)			✓
Knob (R)			

Toe cap size:

Right toe: 9

Left toe: 9